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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : David Allison Bennett, et al.  
Application No. : 09/684,869  
Filed : October 6, 2000  
Title : Reporting Shipping Rates and Delivery Schedules For Multiple Services and Multiple Carriers  
Grp./Div. : 3629  
Examiner : Cosimano, Edward R.  
Docket No. : PSTM0009/MRK

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Commissioner:

In response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2005 regarding the above-identified application, please amend the above-identified application and enter the Response and Remarks as indicated below; reconsideration of the application in view of the Amendments and the Response and Remarks below is respectfully requested. A Petition for an Extension of Time for one month, and the required fee, are submitted concurrently herewith.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper and are listed with reference to the substitute specification previously submitted in this application.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** that begins on page 4 of this paper.

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Response to Office Action dated January 13, 2005

**Response and Remarks** begin on page 12 of this paper.